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PART IV-A

Rules and Orders (Other than those published in Parts I, I-A, and I-L) made
by the Government of Gujarat under the Central Acts

LABOUR, SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND EMPLOYMENT DEPARTMENT

ORDER

Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar, 15th July, 2026

THE EMPLOYEES' PROVIDENT FUNDS AND MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS ACT, 1952.

No: GR/2026/86/LED/EPF/e-file/11/2025/2278/M3:- Whereas the Government of Maharashtra, Labour and Social Welfare Department has exempted the M/s. Navjivan Trust (hereinafter referred to as "said establishment") bearing code No.GJ/AHD/939 vide letter no.EPF. 1156/31986/I, dated the 4th January, 1956 under clause (a) of sub-section (1) of section 17 of the Employees Provident Funds and Miscellaneous Provisions Act, 1952 (19 of 1952) subject to the conditions as specified in the letter date 4th January, 1956;

AND WHEREAS, it has been reported by the Additional Central Fund Commissioner (Exemption), Employees' Provident Fund Organisation, Ministry of Labour and Employment, Government of India, New Delhi vide letter No.E-III/10(77)2023/Misc/14172, dated 04th December, 2025;

- The Board of Trustees unanimously passed a resolution to surrender exemption of the said establishment w.e.f.01.10.2022.
- The application of the said establishment for surrender of Exemption was placed before the Exempted Establishment Committee of the Central Board, in their 59th EEC meeting held on 19.06.2025 and subsequently in the 238th meeting of the Central Board of Trustees, held on 13.10.2025.
- The Central Board of Trustees has recommended the acceptance of surrender application of the said establishment for cancellation of exemption under section 17(4) of Employees Provident Funds and Miscellaneous Provisions Act, 1952.
- The said establishment has furnished the third-party audit party report from dated 01/04/2021 to 30/09/2022.

AND WHEREAS the Regional Provident Fund Commissioner, Ahmedabad has also reported that the establishment has transferred all past accumulations and started complying as un-exempted establishment w.e.f. 01.10.2022;

AND WHEREAS Central EPFO has requested and recommended to cancel the exemption granted in respect of the said establishment;

AND WHEREAS after careful consideration, the Government of Gujarat has decided to cancel the exemption granted to the said establishment;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (4) of section 17 of the Employees Provident Funds and Miscellaneous Provisions Act, 1952 (19 of 1952), the Government of Gujarat hereby cancel the exemption granted to the said establishment with effect from 01/10/2022.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Gujarat,

POOJA UPADHYAY,

Deputy Secretary to Government.

